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## US ROUTE 3 PAVING IN FRANKLIN WILL REQUIRE DETOUR WESTBOUND DETOUR VIA SANBORN ST., NH 127 AND VICTORY DRIVE

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation announces paving work is scheduled to take place Wednesday, May 4 and Thursday, May 5, 2005 on a section of US Route 3 (Central Street) in Franklin from the bridge over the Winnipesaukee River to the intersection with Victory Drive. Minor delays should be expected.

This paving work will require a detouring of westbound traffic on US 3 via Sanborn Street, NH Route 127 and Victory Drive from 8:30 am until 7:00 pm each day. During this time motorists will still be able to access downtown Franklin.

This \$1.7 million project involves the rehabilitation of 1.5 miles of US Route 3 and intersections at West Bow Street, Kendall Street and Sanborn Street. R.D. Edmunds of Franklin, New Hampshire is the general contractor for the project, which has a final completion date of December 2005.